# Winter Weather Briefing Wednesday, March 04, 2015



For South Central Indiana and Central Kentucky

Major Winter Storm Ongoing Through This Morning

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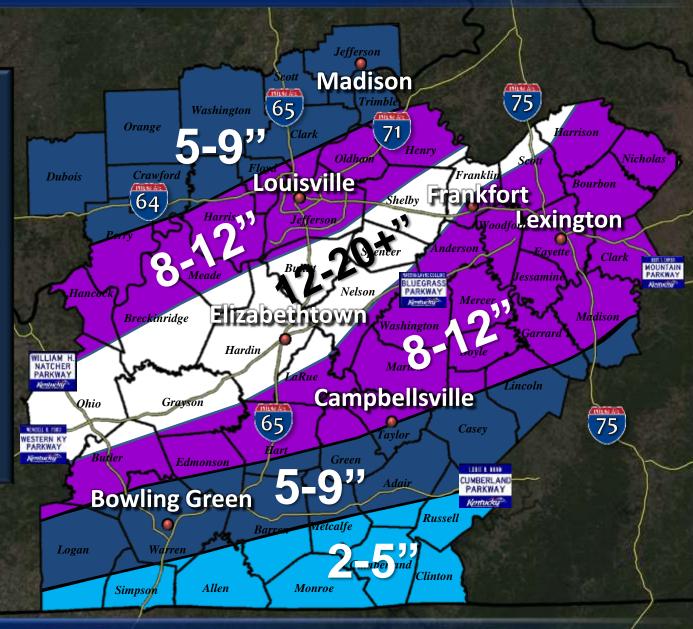
#### ESTIMATED SNOW TOTALS BY 10 AM EST

#### <u>Overview</u>

Axis of highest snowfall accumulation just north of the Bluegrass Parkway where 12-20+ inches are possible. Collapsed roof structures are possible in this area.

Highest snowfall rates up to 2 inches per hour tapering off around sunrise.

Over far southeast parts of south-central Kentucky, about 2-5 inches is expected.









### SNOWFALL ENDING TIMES ON THURSDAY

#### **Overview**

Ending times for accumulating snowfall:

**LIGHT BLUE:** Before dawn

**BLUE:** Early to mid-morning

**VIOLET:** Late morning **to** early afternoon









#### Storm Impacts/Cold Weather



- A winter storm is bringing major impacts to central KY and south-central IN this
  evening through Thursday morning. Significant snow accumulations are occurring
  across southern Indiana and central Kentucky. This includes treacherous travel
  conditions, with some impassible roads. Collapsing roof structures are becoming a
  concern along a narrow corridor north of the Bluegrass Parkway where well over a
  foot of snow has fallen.
- A glaze to a few hundredths of an inch of freezing rain will be possible over parts of south-central KY, which would create hazardous travel, with snow atop the ice tonight.
- Arctic air behind the storm will send low temperatures Friday morning to around or below zero, with some valleys even colder! These will be record or near record low temperatures for the entire month of March.

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